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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP2005/050138		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 14 January 2005 (14.01.2005)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED						
PCT/EP2005/050138 14 January 2005 (14.01.2005) 09 February 2004 (9.02.2004) TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THREADING A WEB									
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c. 🔲 is not	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).								
6. X An English lang	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).								
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8. An English lang	guage translation of the	e amendments to the claims under PCT Arti	icle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).						
9. X An oath or declar	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).								
10. X An English lang Article 36 (35 U	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
Items 11 to 20 below (Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:								
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12. X An assignment	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13. X A preliminary ar	A preliminary amendment.								
	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.								
15. X A substitute spe	A substitute specification.								
16. X A power of attor	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.								
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18. A second copy	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
19. A second copy	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								

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ATTACHMENT

- A) One (1) sheet of Formal Patent Drawings
- B) WO 2005/075197 A1 published August 18, 2005
- C) International Search Report and Written Notification, dated April 27, 2005, with translation
- D) Chapter II Demand, dated May 4, 2005
- E) Letter from KBA to EPO, dated May 4, 2005, with translation
- F) Notice of Informal Discussion dated April 4, 2006, with translation
- G) IPER dated April 4, 2006, with translation

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DECLARATION

The undersigned, Amy L. Menge, hereby states that she is well acquainted with both the English and German languages and that the attached is a true translation to the best of her knowledge and ability of the German text of PCT/EP2005/050138, filed on January 14, 2005 and published on August 18, 2005.

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